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RE: Amendment U.S. Patent Application No. 09/698,317 Filing Date: 10/27/2000 Entitled: HIGH-PRECISION ORIENTATION ALIGNMENT AND GAP CONTROL STAGES FOR IMPRINT LITHOGRAPHY PROCESSES Our Ref. No.: PA09-06V02	

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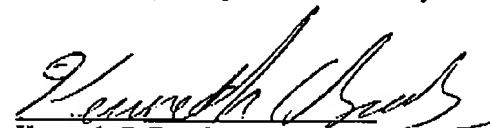

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Application Number: <b>09/698,317</b>	Filing Date: <b>10/27/2000</b>	Examiner: <b>Dougherty, Thomas M.</b>	Group Art Unit: <b>2834</b>
Invention: <b>HIGH-PRECISION ORIENTATION ALIGNMENT AND GAP CONTROL STAGES FOR IMPRINT LITHOGRAPHY PROCESSES</b>			
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